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I used NOAA Query Manager and the PH Portal site to look up the PCB 153 data in whole body bass and carp. PCB 153 co-elutes with PCB 168, so the values below are the sum of these two congeners. If PCB 153 is 50% of the co-eluted concentration, 1 ppm PCB 153 is probably an acceptable value to use for the poster.

PCB 153 plus 168 WB Bass - 22.8 - 763 ppb wet weight (0.023 - 0.763 mg/kg)

PCB 153 plus 168 WB Carp - 26.8 - 2890 ppb wet weight (0.027 - 2.89 mg/kg)